

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**APPLICANT:** Michael K. TAYLOR et al. **GROUP:** 3654  
**APPLICATION:** 10/777,920 **EXAMINER:** E. MARCELO  
**FILED:** February 12, 2004 **CONFIRMATION:** 5492  
**FOR: CABLE SLACK AND GUIDE MONITORING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR A LIFT DEVICE**

Mail Stop: Amendment

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are found beginning at page 2, where the Listing of Claims to replace all prior versions and listings is found.

Remarks begin at page 7.

In the event that additional fees are required as a result of this response, including fees for extensions of time, such fees should be charged to USPTO Deposit Account No. 50-2737 for Basch & Nickerson LLP.